Mountain Weather Forecast

Eryri (Snowdonia) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 27 Oct 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 28 Oct 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 26 Oct 2023 at 16:57

Confidence: High for unsettled, but lowering for the detail of timing of worst of the conditions.

Headline for Friday 27 Oct 2023: Rather cloudy and showery. Best of shelter in west. Moderate southeast summit winds. Freezing level above all peaks.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 27 Oct 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Light rain	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
30%	30%	30%	30%	<05%	20%	30%	50%

Forecast for Friday 27 Oct 2023

Weather: A rather cloudy day with further showers, these focused in the west, bringing the risk of hail and thunder. Best chance of seeing the limited brighter spells mid-afternoon and in the east.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% east 25% in west

Low Cloud and visibility: Good becoming moderate or poor in showers, very poor within cloud with bases quite extensive down to 600m in west, but more broken across eastern areas of the park.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	17/21 S	16/20 S	16/19 SE	18/22 SE	16/21 S	18/22 S	19/24 SE	22/28 SE	23/29 SE
600	13/18 S	12/16 S	11/16 SE	12/17 SE	13/18 S	14/19 S	13/19 SE	15/22 SE	16/23 SE
300	7/16 S	7/14 S	6/13 SE	7/14 SE	9/16 S	9/16 S	7/15 SE	9/18 SE	11/20 SE
Valley	8/16 S	8/15 S	7/14 SE	8/15 SE	9/16 S	9/16 S	8/16 SE	10/19 SE	12/21 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/1	5/1	5/1	5/0	6/1	6/1	4/-1	4/-2	4/-2
600	8/4	7/4	7/4	7/4	8/4	8/4	6/3	6/2	6/2
300	9/8	9/8	9/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	8/6	8/5	8/6
Valley	10/9	10/8	10/8	10/9	12/10	12/10	10/8	9/6	9/6
Freezing Level*	1700m	1700m	1600m	1600m	1700m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing to add.

Forecast for Saturday 28 Oct 2023

Weather: Rather cloudy with showers. Outbreaks frequent through the morning with the chance of hail and thunder, while the best chance of brighter spells expected mid-afternoon and in the east. Showers merging to periods of heavier rain from around early evening.

Maximum wind: East to southeast 20-25 mph with gusts reaching 40 mph across most exposed ridges and summits

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30-40% in east, 20-30% in west

Low Cloud and visibility: Good becoming moderate or poor in showers, very poor within cloud with bases quite extensive down to 600m in west, more broken across eastern areas of the park.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 Celsius increasing 13 Celsius during the afternoon
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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Ground Conditions Supplement
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